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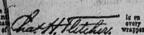
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Proper Way to Handle and the Time

One advantage with clover is that it Arnishes two crops in one season. The op is nearly always cut for hay, he second growth can be used urage, plowed under as a green , cut for hay or allowed to ma-

cut for hay or allowed to make a green but of the form of the first crop is cut in good season, will start up and soon shade the ground and will furnish considerable feed during the summer, when it is so often the case that the pastares fail.

When cut for hay or plowed under it should be allowed to make a full growth, and be cut when in full bloom. Froperly cured, it makes one of the very best foods for the dairy cows during the winter, as well as for growing stock of all kinds. Even hogs will be benefited if given a good feed of clover hay two or three times a week.

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In harvesting the heads should all be left to turn brown before cutting. A self rake is rather the best machine to cut clover for seed, as it leaves it in

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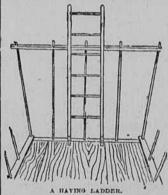
In growing wheat the turning under of a good growth of clover will be beneficial, as it supplies the elements of plant food needed by this crop.

For corn or potatoes it is usually best to allow the clover to die down in the fall and then plow under in winter.

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A Haring Device.

It is a difficult thing to get on and off a load of hay; and yet both operations are often necessary with each load of



hay that is drawn in. Make a light ladder and hinge it at the rear end of the hay rack, so that it can be in-clined forward on the floor when not in use. When ready to load set up the ladder and the hay will keep it firmly back against the back end of the rack, ready for use either in ascending the load or in coming down from it load, or in coming down from it.

Fall Plowing of Stubble Land. The most common mistake in pre-paring ground for full grains is wait-ing until just before seeding time or about the last week in August and the first in September. There are several reasons why early plowing is the best. The weeds that have started after the cutting of the small grains are turned under and kept from seeding. This is no small consideration where the ground is at all foul. If some of the A. J. MAY. S. D. MAY. D. H. SMITH
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and allow none to develop.

The chief value of early plowing is that the land has an opportunity to become well pulverized and compacted before seeding time. If the land is hard when plowed the numerous workings, which should be given in the land is hard when plowed the numerous workings, which should be given in the land in the land is the land in the ings which should be given it with the rains of late summer and early autumn, will dissolve the clods and ob-literate damage if present when the seed is sown. Many fallures with winter grains can be traced to late plowing and imperfect proparation of the seed

Begin plowing as soon as the shocks have been removed from the field. This will vary from the first week in July to the second in August, A depth of about five inches is usually sufficient, about five inches is usually sufficient, depending somewhat upon the character of the soil. In a few days go over the field with a harrow in order to level the ground and create a soil muich to prevent excessive exaporation. Drag or roll several times during the fall and follow each time with a harrow to loosen the surface. Seed the fail grains from Sept. 10 to 20, always using a press drill.

Whether fertilizing materials are applied broadcast, in the drill or in the seasonable hill, they should be well incorporated

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